

# ASLdeafined Accessibility Conformance Report

## International Edition

(Based on VPAT<sup>®</sup> Version 2.5Rev)

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**Name of Product/Version: ASLdeafined / v2997**

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**Product Description:**

ASLdeafined is an online American Sign Language learning platform that provides video-based ASL lessons, interactive practice tools, and educational resources. The web application features instructor-led video tutorials, vocabulary builders, quizzes, and progress tracking to support users in learning ASL at their own pace. The platform serves individual learners, educational institutions, and organizations seeking to improve accessibility through ASL proficiency.

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**Notes: N/A**

## Evaluation Methods Used:

The site audit and Accessibility Conformance Report (ACR) were completed by a member of the ASLdeafined team with extensive knowledge of the platform. This familiarity supported a thorough and accurate evaluation aligned with WCAG 2.2 and International Standards. ASLdeafined was evaluated on a Windows 11 desktop computer using Google Chrome version 136.0.3240.64 and Microsoft Edge version 136.0.3240.64. Assistive technologies used during the desktop evaluation included WAVE (Web Accessibility Evaluation Tool), Lighthouse, NVDA (screen reader), Taba11y (visual tab order tool), the Windows screen magnification feature, and exclusive keyboard navigation to operate all site content and functionality.

ASLdeafined was also tested on mobile devices using both iOS and Android platforms. On iOS, an iPhone 13 running iOS version 18.6.2 was used to evaluate accessibility in the Safari browser and within the ASLdeafined application. On Android, a Motorola G Stylus 5G running Google Chrome version 143.0.74.99.146 was used to evaluate accessibility in both the browser and ASLdeafined application.

Assistive technologies used during the iOS evaluation included VoiceOver, Switch Control, Zoom, Reduce Motion, Classic Invert, Color Filters, text size adjustments within Safari, and the “Hide Distracting Items” feature in Safari.

Assistive technologies used during the Android evaluation included TalkBack, Select to Speak, Magnification, Remove Animations, Color Inversion, Color Correction, and Reading Mode in Google Chrome.

# Applicable Standards/Guidelines

This report covers the degree of conformance for the following accessibility standard/guidelines:

Standard/Guideline	Included In Report
<a href="#">Web Content Accessibility Guidelines 2.0</a>	Level A (Yes) Level AA (Yes) Level AAA (Yes)
<a href="#">Web Content Accessibility Guidelines 2.1</a>	Level A (Yes) Level AA (Yes) Level AAA (Yes)
<a href="#">Web Content Accessibility Guidelines 2.2</a>	Level A (Yes) Level AA (Yes) Level AAA (Yes)
<a href="#">Revised Section 508 standards published January 18, 2017, and corrected January 22, 2018</a>	(Yes)
<a href="#">EN 301 549 Accessibility requirements for ICT products and services - V3.1.1 (2019-11)</a> AND <a href="#">EN 301 549 Accessibility requirements for ICT products and services - V3.2.1 (2021-03)</a>	(Yes)

## Terms

The terms used in the Conformance Level information are defined as follows:

- **Supports:** The functionality of the product has at least one method that meets the criterion without known defects or meets with equivalent facilitation.
- **Partially Supports:** Some functionality of the product does not meet the criterion.
- **Does Not Support:** The majority of product functionality does not meet the criterion.
- **Not Applicable:** The criterion is not relevant to the product.
- **Not Evaluated:** The product has not been evaluated against the criterion. This can only be used in WCAG Level AAA criteria.

## WCAG 2.2 Report

Tables 1 and 2 also document conformance with:

- EN 301 549:
  - o Clause 9 - Web
  - o Clauses 10.1-10.4 of Clause 10 - Non-Web documents
  - o Clauses 11.1-11.4 and 11.8.2 of Clause 11 - Software
  - o Clauses 12.1.2 and 12.2.4 of Clause 12 - Documentation and support services
- Revised Section 508:
  - o Chapter 5 - 501.1 Scope and 504.2 Content Creation or Editing
  - o Chapter 6 - 602.3 Electronic Support Documentation

Note: When reporting on conformance with the WCAG 2.2 Success Criteria, they are scoped for full pages, complete processes, and accessibility-supported ways of using technology as documented in the [WCAG 2.1 Conformance Requirements](#).

## Table 1: Success Criteria, Level A

Notes:

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
<p><b><u>1.1.1 Non-text Content</u></b> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 9.1.1.1 (Web)</li> <li>● 10.1.1.1 (Non-web document)</li> <li>● 11.1.1.1.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>● 11.1.1.1.2 (Closed Functionality Software)</li> <li>● 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>● 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>● 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>● 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>● 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Partially Supports	The site provides sufficient text alternatives for most instances of non-text content. Exceptions include Lesson builder which requires users to upload an image for created lessons.
<p><b><u>1.2.1 Audio-only and Video-only (Prerecorded)</u></b> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 9.1.2.1 (Web)</li> <li>● 10.1.2.1 (Non-web document)</li> <li>● 11.1.2.1.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>● 11.1.2.1.2.1 and 11.1.2.1.2.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>● 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>● 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>● 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>● 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>● 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Supports	Prerecorded video content features American Sign Language (ASL) instruction with signing as the primary communication method. The visual nature of signing serves as the core education content.
<p><b><u>1.2.2 Captions (Prerecorded)</u></b> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p>	Partially Support	Captioning is provided for some instructional video content to deliver context and explanation. However,

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<p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 9.1.2.2 (Web)</li> <li>● 10.1.2.2 (Non-web document)</li> <li>● 11.1.2.2 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>● 11.1.2.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>● 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>● 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>● 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>● 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>● 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>		<p>in most lessons and during interactive practice activities, captions are intentionally omitted to facilitate immersive ASL learning experiences where users must rely on visual signing comprehension.</p>
<p><a href="#"><u>1.2.3 Audio Description or Media Alternative (Prerecorded)</u></a> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 9.1.2.3 (Web)</li> <li>● 10.1.2.3 (Non-web document)</li> <li>● 11.1.2.3.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>● 11.1.2.3.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>● 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>● 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>● 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>● 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>● 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Does Not Support	<p>The primary content of ASLdeafined is visual. The platform teaches sign language through visual demonstrations. There may not be comprehensive text alternatives describing all signing movements and expressions.</p>
<p><a href="#"><u>1.3.1 Info and Relationships</u></a> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 9.1.3.1 (Web)</li> <li>● 10.1.3.1 (Non-web document)</li> <li>● 11.1.3.1.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>● 11.1.3.1.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>● 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> </ul>	Partially Supports	<p>Most visual structure and relationship information are provided through object information or is available in text. Exceptions include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Some informative content is not accessible to assistive technology because of the presence of aria-hidden="true" in the content's containing tag.</li> </ul>



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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Several blocks of regular text are incorrectly marked up as headings.</li> </ul>
<u>1.3.2 Meaningful Sequence</u> (Level A) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.1.3.2 (Web)</li> <li>10.1.3.2 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.1.3.2.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.1.3.2.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Supports	The site content is presented in a meaningful sequence.
<u>1.3.3 Sensory Characteristics</u> (Level A) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.1.3.3 (Web)</li> <li>10.1.3.3 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.1.3.3 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.1.3.3 (Closed Software)</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Supports	Instructions do not rely solely on sensory characteristics.

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<p><a href="#">1.4.1 Use of Color</a> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 9.1.4.1 (Web)</li> <li>● 10.1.4.1 (Non-web document)</li> <li>● 11.1.4.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>● 11.1.4.1 (Closed Software)</li> <li>● 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>● 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>● 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>● 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>● 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Supports	Site content and functionality do not convey information through color alone.
<p><a href="#">1.4.2 Audio Control</a> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 9.1.4.2 (Web)</li> <li>● 10.1.4.2 (Non-web document)</li> <li>● 11.1.4.2 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>● 11.1.4.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>● 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>● 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>● 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>● 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>● 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined uses videos, typically without sound. The primary content is ASL video demonstration.
<p><a href="#">2.1.1 Keyboard</a> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 9.2.1.1 (Web)</li> <li>● 10.2.1.1 (Non-web document)</li> <li>● 11.2.1.1.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> </ul>	Supports	All site content can be accessed with a keyboard.

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 11.2.1.1.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>● 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>● 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>● 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>● 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>● 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>		
<a href="#">2.1.2 No Keyboard Trap</a> (Level A) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 9.2.1.2 (Web)</li> <li>● 10.2.1.2 (Non-web document)</li> <li>● 11.2.1.2 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>● 11.2.1.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>● 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>● 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>● 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>● 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>● 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Supports	All interactive elements on the sites such as navigation menus, lesson content, and quizzes—can be accessed and closed out using only the keyboard. Users are not trapped in any component, and standard keyboard commands (such as Tab, Shift Tab, and Escape) allow for smooth navigation throughout the platform.
<a href="#">2.1.4 Character Key Shortcuts</a> (Level A 2.1 and 2.2) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 9.2.1.4 (Web)</li> <li>● 10.2.1.4 (Non-web document)</li> <li>● 11.2.1.4.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>● 11.2.1.4.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>● 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>● 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>● 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Supports	The site does not provide character key shortcuts.

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<p><b><u>2.2.1 Timing Adjustable</u></b> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 9.2.2.1 (Web)</li> <li>● 10.2.2.1 (Non-web document)</li> <li>● 11.2.2.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>● 11.2.2.1 (Closed Software)</li> <li>● 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>● 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>● 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>● 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>● 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Not Applicable	The site does not have time limits for lessons and activities.
<p><b><u>2.2.2 Pause, Stop, Hide</u></b> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 9.2.2.2 (Web)</li> <li>● 10.2.2.2 (Non-web document)</li> <li>● 11.2.2.2 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>● 11.2.2.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>● 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>● 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>● 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>● 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>● 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Supports	Videos only play when the user starts them and there are not any moving parts or time updates that the user cannot pause or stop. There are no timed quizzes or animations within the site.
<p><b><u>2.3.1 Three Flashes or Below Threshold</u></b> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 9.2.3.1 (Web)</li> <li>● 10.2.3.1 (Non-web document)</li> <li>● 11.2.3.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> </ul>	Not Applicable	The site does not contain flashing content.

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>11.2.3.1 (Closed Software)</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>		
<a href="#">2.4.1 Bypass Blocks</a> (Level A) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.2.4.1 (Web)</li> <li>10.2.4.1 (Non-web document) – Does not apply.</li> <li>11.2.4.1 (Open Functionality Software) – Does not apply.</li> <li>11.2.4.1 (Closed Software) – Does not apply.</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>501 (Web)(Software) – Does not apply to non-web software</li> <li>504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>602.3 (Support Docs) – Does not apply to non-web docs</li> </ul>	Supports	A link to skip the page header to go to the main content is provided as the first element in the focus order.
<a href="#">2.4.2 Page Titled</a> (Level A) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.2.4.2 (Web)</li> <li>10.2.4.2 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.2.4.2 (Open Functionality Software) - Does not apply.</li> <li>11.2.4.2 (Closed Software) – Does not apply.</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>501 (Web)(Software)</li> </ul>	Supports	The site pages have titles that describe topic or purpose

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>		
<p><b><u>2.4.3 Focus Order</u></b> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.2.4.3 (Web)</li> <li>10.2.4.3 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.2.4.3 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.2.4.3 (Closed Software)</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Supports	The site's components receive focus in a meaningful order.
<p><b><u>2.4.4 Link Purpose (In Context)</u></b> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.2.4.4 (Web)</li> <li>10.2.4.4 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.2.4.4 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.2.4.4 (Closed Software)</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Supports	The purpose of each link in the site can be determined from the link text alone or from the programmatic context of the link.
<p><b><u>2.5.1 Pointer Gestures</u></b> (Level A 2.1 and 2.2)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.2.5.1 (Web)</li> </ul>	Supports	The site uses basic pointer interactions: clicking buttons, playing videos, choosing answers in quizzes.

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>10.2.5.1 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.2.5.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.2.5.1 (Closed Software)</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 – Does not apply		
<p><b><u>2.5.2 Pointer Cancellation</u></b> (Level A 2.1 and 2.2)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.2.5.2 (Web)</li> <li>10.2.5.2 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.2.5.2 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.2.5.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Supports	ASLdeafined uses basic buttons and clickable elements to play videos, start quizzes, or navigate lessons. These actions usually require a clear, intentional click, and do not trigger anything dangerous or irreversible with just a touch.
<p><b><u>2.5.3 Label in Name</u></b> (Level A 2.1 and 2.2)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.2.5.3 (Web)</li> <li>10.2.5.3 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.2.5.3.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.2.5.3.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Supports	The accessible name of each user interface component that includes a visible text label corresponds to that label text.
<p><b><u>2.5.4 Motion Actuation</u></b> (Level A 2.1 and 2.2)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.2.5.4 (Web)</li> <li>10.2.5.4 (Non-web document)</li> </ul>	Not Applicable	The site does not have functionality operated by device motion or user motion.

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 11.2.5.4 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>• 11.2.5.4 (Closed Software)</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 – Does not apply		
<p><b><u>3.1.1 Language of Page</u></b> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.3.1.1 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.3.1.1 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.3.1.1.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>• 11.3.1.1.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Supports	The default language of the site's webpage is identified using the lang attribute in the html element.
<p><b><u>3.2.1 On Focus</u></b> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.3.2.1 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.3.2.1 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.3.2.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>• 11.3.2.1 (Closed Software)</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Supports	The site's components do not initiate a change of context when focused.



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<b><u>3.2.2 On Input</u></b> (Level A) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 9.3.2.2 (Web)</li> <li>● 10.3.2.2 (Non-web document)</li> <li>● 11.3.2.2 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>● 11.3.2.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>● 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>● 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>● 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>● 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>● 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Supports	Changes of context do not occur automatically on user input.
<b><u>3.2.6 Consistent Help</u></b> (Level A 2.2 only) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply. Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Supports	Each page consistently includes a footer section with clear information on how to contact customer support and access help resources.
<b><u>3.3.1 Error Identification</u></b> (Level A) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 9.3.3.1 (Web)</li> <li>● 10.3.3.1 (Non-web document)</li> <li>● 11.3.3.1.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>● 11.3.3.1.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>● 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>● 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>● 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>● 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>● 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Supports	Where errors are automatically detected, the error is identified, and an error message is provided as text with an error code. Users can submit the code to the ASLdefined Support Team for assistance.
<b><u>3.3.2 Labels or Instructions</u></b> (Level A) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria	Supports	A label is provided for each of the site's input fields.

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 9.3.3.2 (Web)</li> <li>● 10.3.3.2 (Non-web document)</li> <li>● 11.3.3.2 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>● 11.3.3.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>● 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>● 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>● 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>● 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>● 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>		
<p><a href="#">3.3.7 Redundant Entry</a> (Level A 2.2 only)</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply.</p> <p>Revised Section 508 – Does not apply</p>	Partially Supports	<p>ASLdeafined has relatively simple forms, like login, registration, and account settings.</p> <p>In some cases, it retains user data within a session (like keeping you logged in).</p> <p>Users may have to re-enter information—for example, when updating profiles or resetting a password, instead of the system recalling or prefilling previous data.</p>
<p><a href="#">4.1.1 Parsing</a> (Level A)</p> <p>Applies to:</p> <p>WCAG 2.0 and 2.1 – Always answer ‘Supports.’</p> <p>WCAG 2.2 (obsolete and removed) - Does not apply.</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 9.4.1.1 (Web)</li> <li>● 10.4.1.1 (Non-web document)</li> <li>● 11.4.1.1.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>● 11.4.1.1.2 (Closed Software) – Does not apply.</li> <li>● 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>● 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>● 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508	Supports	<p>For WCAG 2.0, 2.1, EN 301 549, and Revised 508 Standards, the September 2023 errata update indicates this criterion is always supported. See the <a href="#">WCAG 2.0 Editorial Errata</a> and the <a href="#">WCAG 2.1 Editorial Errata</a>.</p>

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>		
<p><a href="#">4.1.2 Name, Role, Value</a> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.4.1.2 (Web)</li> <li>10.4.1.2 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.4.1.2.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.4.1.2.2 (Closed Software) – Does not apply.</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Supports	ASLdeafined’s core interface (video lessons, navigation buttons, quizzes) appears to use standard HTML controls, which usually have correct names, roles, and values. Buttons like “Start Lesson,” “Next,” or “Submit” are visually labeled, and likely labeled in code.

**Table 2: Success Criteria, Level AA**

Notes:

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
<p><a href="#">1.2.4 Captions (Live)</a> (Level AA)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.1.2.4 (Web)</li> <li>10.1.2.4 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.1.2.4 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.1.2.4 (Closed Software)</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined does not offer live video or live streamed lessons. Instead, it provides pre-recorded videos of ASL lessons.

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Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>		
<a href="#">1.2.5 Audio Description (Prerecorded)</a> (Level AA) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.1.2.5 (Web)</li> <li>10.1.2.5 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.1.2.5 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.1.2.5 (Closed Software)</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Does not Support	ASLdeafined provides video-based ASL lessons, often with no spoken audio, because the videos focus on visual ASL instruction. There is content on the site with captions, however most videos do not have captions.
<a href="#">1.3.4 Orientation</a> (Level AA 2.1 and 2.2) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.1.3.4 (Web)</li> <li>10.1.3.4 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.1.3.4 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.1.3.4 (Closed Software)</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Supports	The content of the site does not restrict its view and operation to a single display orientation.
<a href="#">1.3.5 Identify Input Purpose</a> (Level AA 2.1 and 2.2) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.1.3.5 (Web)</li> <li>10.1.3.5 (Non-web document)</li> </ul>	Supports	ASLdeafined uses some basic forms (e.g., login, registration, contact). These fields, such as name, email, or password include autocomplete attributes.

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>11.1.3.5.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.1.3.5.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 – Does not apply		
<p><b><u>1.4.3 Contrast (Minimum)</u></b> (Level AA)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.1.4.3 (Web)</li> <li>10.1.4.3 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.1.4.3 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.1.4.3 (Closed Software)</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Partially Supports	<p>Though ASLdeafined uses dark text on light backgrounds and vice versa in most places, especially in its:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Menus</li> <li>Buttons</li> <li>Video controls</li> <li>Lesson content</li> </ul> <p>Some pages do not meet the 4.5:1 ration. These are normal texts that are linked in a light green foreground and white background (2.89:1 ratio).</p>
<p><b><u>1.4.4 Resize text</u></b> (Level AA)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.1.4.4 (Web)</li> <li>10.1.4.4 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.1.4.4.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.1.4.4.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Supports	<p>Site content and user interfaces support standard zoom capabilities built into modern web browsers and operating systems</p>

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<p><a href="#">1.4.5 Images of Text</a> (Level AA)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 9.1.4.5 (Web)</li> <li>● 10.1.4.5 (Non-web document)</li> <li>● 11.1.4.5.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>● 11.1.4.5.2 (Closed Software) – Does not apply.</li> <li>● 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>● 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>● 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>● 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>● 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Supports	The site uses text instead of images of text.
<p><a href="#">1.4.10 Reflow</a> (Level AA 2.1 and 2.2)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 9.1.4.10 (Web)</li> <li>● 10.1.4.10 (Non-web document)</li> <li>● 11.1.4.10 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>● 11.1.4.10 (Closed Software)</li> <li>● 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>● 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>● 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508 – Does not apply</p>	Supports	<p>ASLdeafined is designed to be mobile-friendly, which usually means the layout adjusts based on screen size (responsive design).</p> <p>When viewed on phones or tablets, key content like video lessons, menus, and buttons appear to rearrange or resize correctly.</p>
<p><a href="#">1.4.11 Non-text Contrast</a> (Level AA 2.1 and 2.2)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 9.1.4.11 (Web)</li> <li>● 10.1.4.11 (Non-web document)</li> <li>● 11.1.4.11 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>● 11.1.4.11 (Closed Software)</li> <li>● 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>● 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> </ul>	Supports	Buttons, navigation menus, and icons on ASLdeafined generally appear to have good visual contrasts against their backgrounds.

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 – Does not apply		
<p><b>1.4.12 Text Spacing</b> (Level AA 2.1 and 2.2)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.1.4.12 (Web)</li> <li>10.1.4.12 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.1.4.12 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.1.4.12 (Closed Software)</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Supports	ASLdeafined’s text content, including lesson scripts and navigation menus, appears to maintain readability and layout integrity when spacing is increased.
<p><b>1.4.13 Content on Hover or Focus</b> (Level AA 2.1 and 2.2)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.1.4.13 (Web)</li> <li>10.1.4.13 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.1.4.13 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.1.4.13 (Closed Software)</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Supports	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ASLdeafined uses tooltips, menus, and interactive elements that appear on hover or focus.</li> <li>These elements generally remain visible and accessible when using keyboard navigation.</li> <li>Users can dismiss or move away from extra content without it disappearing too quickly.</li> </ul>
<p><b>2.4.5 Multiple Ways</b> (Level AA)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.2.4.5 (Web)</li> <li>10.2.4.5 (Non-web document) – Does not apply.</li> <li>11.2.4.5 (Open Functionality Software) – Does not apply.</li> <li>11.2.4.5 (Closed Software) – Does not apply.</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Supports	<p>ASLdeafined appears to provide multiple ways for users to find lessons and content:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A top navigation menu with categories like “Lessons,” “Quizzes,” and “Dictionary”</li> <li>A search feature to look up specific signs or lessons.</li> </ul>

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Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>501 (Web)(Software) – Does not apply to non-web software</li> <li>504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>602.3 (Support Docs) – Does not apply to non-web docs</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A structured lesson library, sorted by topics (e.g., grammar, vocabulary)</li> </ul>
<a href="#">2.4.6 Headings and Labels</a> (Level AA) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.2.4.6 (Web)</li> <li>10.2.4.6 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.2.4.6 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.2.4.6 (Closed Software)</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Supports	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ASLdeafined uses clear section headings in lesson modules e.g., "Vocabulary List," "Video Example."</li> <li>Buttons are labeled with clear purposes, like "Start Lesson," "Replay Video," or "Take Quiz."</li> <li>Navigation links also appear to be descriptive, helping</li> </ul>
<a href="#">2.4.7 Focus Visible</a> (Level AA) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.2.4.7 (Web)</li> <li>10.2.4.7 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.2.4.7 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.2.4.7 (Closed Software)</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Supports	All focusable elements in site have a visible keyboard focus indicator.



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<a href="#">2.4.11 Focus Not Obscured (Minimum)</a> (Level AA 2.2 only) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply. Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Supports	On ASLdeafined, keyboard navigation typically ensures that focused elements are visible and not blocked by headers or overlays.
<a href="#">2.5.7 Dragging Movements</a> (Level AA 2.2 only) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply. Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Does not Support	Most interactions are button clicks, taps, or keyboard controls.
<a href="#">2.5.8 Target Size (Minimum)</a> (Level AA 2.2 only) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply. Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Support	ASLdeafined’s buttons, navigation items, and interactive elements generally appear large enough for easy tapping.
<a href="#">3.1.2 Language of Parts</a> (Level AA) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.3.1.2 (Web)</li> <li>10.3.1.2 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.3.1.2 (Open Functionality Software) – Does not apply.</li> <li>11.3.1.2 (Closed Software) – Does not apply.</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Supports	Within the site’s webpage, the language of each portion of the page is programmatically determinable.
<a href="#">3.2.3 Consistent Navigation</a> (Level AA) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.3.2.3 (Web)</li> <li>10.3.2.3 (Non-web document) – Does not apply.</li> <li>11.3.2.3 (Open Functionality Software) – Does not apply.</li> <li>11.3.2.3 (Closed Software) – Does not apply.</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508	Supports	ASLdeafined uses a consistent layout for its navigation elements.

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>501 (Web)(Software) – Does not apply to non-web software</li> <li>504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>602.3 (Support Docs) – Does not apply to non-web docs</li> </ul>		
<p><b>3.2.4 Consistent Identification</b> (Level AA)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.3.2.4 (Web)</li> <li>10.3.2.4 (Non-web document) – Does not apply.</li> <li>11.3.2.4 (Open Functionality Software) – Does not apply.</li> <li>11.3.2.4 (Closed Software) – Does not apply.</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>501 (Web)(Software) – Does not apply to non-web software</li> <li>504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>602.3 (Support Docs) – Does not apply to non-web docs</li> </ul>	Supports	ASLdeafined consistently uses the same icons, labels, and buttons throughout the site.
<p><b>3.3.3 Error Suggestion</b> (Level AA)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.3.3.3 (Web)</li> <li>10.3.3.3 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.3.3.3 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.3.3.3 (Closed Software)</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Supports	When an error is automatically detected within a data entry form in the site, the resulting error message provides suggestions for correction.
<p><b>3.3.4 Error Prevention (Legal, Financial, Data)</b> (Level AA)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p>	Supports	ASLdeafined's registration and subscription process includes clear review steps, such as:

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.3.3.4 (Web)</li> <li>10.3.3.4 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.3.3.4 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.3.3.4 (Closed Software)</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Summaries of what you are signing up for</li> <li>Confirmation screens before payments</li> <li>Error messages for missing or incorrect form fields.</li> <li>Users can also edit their profile or account information later if needed.</li> </ul>
<a href="#"><u>3.3.8 Accessible Authentication (Minimum)</u></a> (Level AA 2.2 only) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply. Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Supports	ASLdeafined allows users to enter usernames and passwords without unnecessary barriers.  Login fields typically support copy/paste and autofill, which helps users with assistive tech or password managers.  There are no visual-only CAPTCHAs or authentication puzzles.
<a href="#"><u>4.1.3 Status Messages</u></a> (Level AA 2.1 and 2.2) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.4.1.3 (Web)</li> <li>10.4.1.3 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.4.1.3 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.4.1.3 (Closed Software) – Does not apply.</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Partially Supports	ASLdeafined uses clear visual cues for actions like login errors, form feedback, or navigation changes.  However, status messages may not always be coded with ARIA live regions (a method that allows screen readers to detect and read updates automatically).

## Table 3: Success Criteria, Level AAA

Notes:

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
<a href="#">1.2.6 Sign Language (Prerecorded)</a> (Level AAA) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply. Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Supports	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ASLdeafined is built entirely around sign language.</li> <li>Its core content is prerecorded videos featuring fluent ASL signers, with voiceover and optional captions added for learners.</li> <li>Every lesson and vocabulary video includes ASL as the primary means of communication, not just as an add-on.</li> </ul>
<a href="#">1.2.7 Extended Audio Description (Prerecorded)</a> (Level AAA) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply. Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined does not provide live audio-only content. Its content is primarily pre-recorded videos demonstrating American Sign Language (ASL).
<a href="#">1.2.8 Media Alternative (Prerecorded)</a> (Level AAA) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply. Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Partially Supports	The primary content of ASLdeafined is visual. The platform teaches sign language through visual demonstrations. There may not be comprehensive text alternatives describing all signing movements and expressions.
<a href="#">1.2.9 Audio-only (Live)</a> (Level AAA) EN 301 549 Criteria– Does not apply. Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined does not provide live audio-only content. Its content is primarily pre-recorded videos demonstrating American Sign Language (ASL).
<a href="#">1.3.6 Identify Purpose</a> (Level AAA 2.1 and 2.2) EN 301 549 Criteria– Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Partially Supports	All recorded videos have signs. Some video contents have transcripts but most videos on the site do not.
<a href="#">1.4.6 Contrast (Enhanced)</a> (Level AAA) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Does not Support	Most of the text on the site does not meet the 7:1 contrast ratio requirement.
<a href="#">1.4.7 Low or No Background Audio</a> (Level AAA) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Supports	ASLdeafined's videos primarily focus on clear sign language instruction with minimal to no background audio.

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
<a href="#">1.4.8 Visual Presentation</a> (Level AAA) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Partially Supports	ASLdeafined generally allows text resizing and supports zooming without loss of content or functionality.  However, users might not be able to change foreground and background colors.
<a href="#">1.4.9 Images of Text (No Exception)</a> (Level AAA) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Supports	ASLdeafined primarily uses real text throughout the site for all important content.  Images with text are minimal and mostly reserved for decorative elements or logos where exceptions apply.
<a href="#">2.1.3 Keyboard (No Exception)</a> (Level AAA) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Supports	ASLdeafined’s interface is fully operable with a keyboard.
<a href="#">2.2.3 No Timing</a> (Level AAA) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Supports	ASLdeafined’s learning platform does not impose time limits on video lessons, quizzes, or navigation.
<a href="#">2.2.4 Interruptions</a> (Level AAA) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Supports	ASLdeafined’s learning environment is stable and free from unexpected interruptions.
<a href="#">2.2.5 Re-authenticating</a> (Level AAA) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Partially Supports	ASLdeafined does not force logouts, and session does not normally use timeouts.  However, if a user is logged out (e.g., due to extended inactivity), the site may not always retain quiz answers, lesson progress, or user input automatically.
<a href="#">2.2.6 Timeouts</a> (Level AAA 2.1 and 2.2) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Partially Supports	Data is preserved for long periods of inactivity, however there is no warning label during inactivity.
<a href="#">2.3.2 Three Flashes</a> (Level AAA) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Supports	The site does not contain anything that flashes more three times in any one second.
<a href="#">2.3.3 Animation from Interactions</a> (Level AAA 2.1 and 2.2)	Not Applicable	Motion animation is not part of the site content.

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply		
<a href="#">2.4.8 Location</a> (Level AAA) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Partially Supports	ASLdeafined uses clear page headings and consistent labels to help users know what content they are viewing (e.g., "Lesson 4: Colors").  However, the site does not appear to use breadcrumb navigation or other explicit location indicators that show a user's position in the broader site structure.
<a href="#">2.4.9 Link Purpose (Link Only)</a> (Level AAA) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Partially Supports	Many of ASLdeafined's links (such as lesson titles, vocabulary categories, or menu items) are clear and meaningful on their own.  However, some links—particularly within lesson descriptions or under buttons—may rely on surrounding text for context, such as "Click here" or vague buttons like "More."
<a href="#">2.4.10 Section Headings</a> (Level AAA) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Supports	ASLdeafined uses visible headings to label content such as lesson titles and video categories, which helps with scanning and visual navigation.
<a href="#">2.4.12 Focus Not Obscured (Enhanced)</a> (Level AAA 2.2 only) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Supports	No items on the site are covered with keyboard focus. Everything is completely visible.
<a href="#">2.4.13 Focus Appearance</a> (Level AAA 2.2 only) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Supports	ASLdeafined shows a clear, visible outline or highlight around links, buttons, and other interactive elements when they receive keyboard focus.  The focus indicator is generally high contrast and easy to spot against the background.
<a href="#">2.5.5 Target Size</a> (Level AAA 2.1 and 2.2) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Partially Supports	Many buttons, menus, and links on ASLdeafined are sized well for desktop use and are generally easy to click.

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		However, some smaller clickable elements, especially icons or links within dense lists, may be smaller than 44x44 pixels or too close together, making them harder to tap on touch devices.
<a href="#">2.5.6 Concurrent Input Mechanisms</a> (Level AAA 2.1 and 2.2) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Supports	<p>The site supports keyboard, mouse, and touch input simultaneously without conflicts.</p> <p>Users can switch between input methods seamlessly during navigation and interaction.</p>
<a href="#">3.1.3 Unusual Words</a> (Level AAA) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Supports	This site has a dictionary that shows users how to sign various words. Some lessons and videos include explanations or definitions, but not all unusual words are clearly explained on every page.
<a href="#">3.1.4 Abbreviations</a> (Level AAA) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Partially Supports	The use of abbreviations on the site is limited. Common abbreviations like “ASL” are usually explained at least once on the site.
<a href="#">3.1.5 Reading Level</a> (Level AAA) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Support	<p>While many lessons aim to be clear and accessible, some content may be challenging for users with lower reading skills.</p> <p>However, to better help users understand ASL variations and synonyms are provided for many words.</p>
<a href="#">3.1.6 Pronunciation</a> (Level AAA) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is primarily a visual learning platform focused on American Sign Language, where pronunciation of spoken words is not the main mode of instruction.
<a href="#">3.2.5 Change on Request</a> (Level AAA) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Supports	<p>Most interactions on ASLdeafined (such as navigating lessons, selecting videos, or using search features) require intentional action, like clicking a button or link.</p> <p>Changes in content or navigation typically happen only when the user requests it (e.g., selecting and confirming).</p>

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<a href="#">3.3.5 Help</a> (Level AAA) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Supports	ASLdeafined provides dedicated customer support and assistance, accessible through the footer at the bottom of every page, for any questions or requests users may have.
<a href="#">3.3.6 Error Prevention (All)</a> (Level AAA) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Partially Supports	<p>ASLdeafined has basic forms (like login, account creation, and subscription), but they do not usually include full error prevention features.</p> <p>Users can sometimes see error messages for required fields, but there is no full review step or clear opportunity to undo or revise submissions (e.g., when subscribing or updating account info).</p> <p>Since the site does not handle high-risk actions like legal or financial data input, the risk is low.</p>
<a href="#">3.3.9 Accessible Authentication (Enhanced)</a> (Level AAA 2.2 only) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Supports	ASLdeafined allows username and password login, which can work with password managers, and the fields generally allow paste. However, it does not offer enhanced login options, like biometric login, email links, or password-free options.



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## Chapter 3: [Functional Performance Criteria \(FPC\)](#)

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Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
302.1 Without Vision: Where a visual mode of operation is provided, ICT shall provide at least one mode of operation that does not require user vision.	Does not Support	The primary content of ASLdeafined is visual. The platform teaches sign language through visual demonstrations.
302.2 With Limited Vision: Where a visual mode of operation is provided, ICT shall provide at least one mode of operation that enables users to make use of limited vision.	Partially Supports	The primary content of ASLdeafined is visual.  ASL videos are inherently visual and benefit users with limited vision. Sign language relies on visual communication which users with limited vision can often still access.
302.3 Without Perception of Color Where a visual mode of operation is provided, ICT shall provide at least one visual mode of operation that does not require user perception of color.	Supports	ASLdeafined communication does not rely on color differentiation for meaning.  ASLdeafined primarily about hand shapes, movement, and facial expressions.  Elements such as buttons, links, and navigation can be designed without color-only indicators
302.4 Without Hearing Where an audible mode of operation is provided, ICT shall provide at least one mode of operation that does not require user hearing.	Supports	The primary content of ASLdeafined is visual, not auditory.  Users do not rely on hearing to use the platform.

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<p>302.5 With Limited Hearing: Where an audible mode of operation is provided, ICT shall provide at least one mode of operation that enables users to make use of limited hearing.</p>	Supports	<p>The primary content of ASLdeafined is visual, not auditory. Users do not rely on hearing to use the platform.</p>
<p>302.6 Without Speech: Where speech is used for input, control, or operation, ICT shall provide at least one mode of operation that does not require user speech.</p>	Supports	<p>The primary content of ASLdeafined is visual.</p> <p>ASLdeafined typically uses visual/touch interfaces rather than speech inputs.</p> <p>Inputs are through traditional methods such as keyboard, mouse, and touch rather than voice commands.</p>
<p>302.7 With Limited Manipulation Where a manual mode of operation is provided, ICT shall provide at least one mode of operation that does not require fine motor control or simultaneous manual operations.</p>	Supports	<p>Videos and lessons are designed with large, easy-to-click buttons (play/pause, volume, full-screen, slow video playback).</p> <p>Account features such as login, profile, search, navbar option can be used without requiring fine motor control.</p>
<p>302.8 With Limited Reach and Strength Where a manual mode of operation is provided, ICT shall provide at least one mode of operation that is operable with limited reach and limited strength.</p>	Supports	<p>Users can comfortably use ASLDeafined without needing excessive physical exertion.</p> <p>Users can position devices at comfortable distance.</p> <p>Clicking, tapping, and typing required minimal strength. All interactions are lightweight input devices (mouse, keyboard, touchscreen).</p>
<p>302.9 With Limited Language, Cognitive, and Learning Abilities ICT shall provide features making its use by individuals with limited cognitive, language, and learning abilities simpler and easier.</p>	Supports	<p>ASLDeafined uses simple language and navigational options for users.</p> <p>There is limited complex terminology or jargon found in the site. Any complex</p>

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		<p>concepts would be found in the dictionary or the lessons found in ASLdeafined.</p> <p>Lessons are categorized by difficulty to inform users.</p> <p>The layout of the website is simple and clear for users to follow without challenges.</p>

## Chapter 4: [Hardware](#)

Notes:

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
<a href="#">402 Closed Functionality</a>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
<b>402.1 General</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
<b>402.2 Speech-Output Enabled</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
402.2.1 Information Displayed On-Screen	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone hardware with built-in speech output.
402.2.2 Transactional Outputs	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone transactional hardware.
402.2.3 Speech Delivery Type and Coordination	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone transactional hardware.
402.2.4 User Control	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone transactional hardware.

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402.2.5 Braille Instructions	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone transactional hardware.
<b>402.3 Volume</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
402.3.1 Private Listening	Not Applicable	Audio volume handled by user's device/browser, not the web service.
402.3.2 Non-private Listening	Not Applicable	Audio volume handled by user's device/browser, not the web service.
402.4 Characters on Display Screens	Not Applicable	Web content display controlled by user's browser/device settings.
402.5 Characters on Variable Message Signs	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is not a variable message sign system.
<b>403 Biometrics</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
403.1 General	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
<b>404 Preservation of Information Provided for Accessibility</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
404.1 General	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
<b>405 Privacy</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
405.1 General	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
<b>406 Standard Connections</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
406.1 General	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
<b>407 Operable Parts</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
407.2 Contrast	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
<b>407.3 Input Controls</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
407.3.1 Tactilely Discernible	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
407.3.2 Alphabetic Keys	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.

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407.3.3 Numeric Keys	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
407.4 Key Repeat	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
407.5 Timed Response	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
407.6 Operation	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
407.7 Tickets, Fare Cards, and Keycards	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
<b>407.8 Reach Height and Depth</b>	Heading cell – no response required	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
407.8.1 Vertical Reference Plane	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
407.8.1.1 Vertical Plane for Side Reach	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
407.8.1.2 Vertical Plane for Forward Reach	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
407.8.2 Side Reach	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
407.8.2.1 Unobstructed Side Reach	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
407.8.2.2 Obstructed Side Reach	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
407.8.3 Forward Reach	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
407.8.3.1 Unobstructed Forward Reach	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
407.8.3.2 Obstructed Forward Reach	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
407.8.3.2.1 Operable Part Height for ICT with Obstructed Forward Reach	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
407.8.3.2.2 Knee and Toe Space under ICT with Obstructed Forward Reach	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
<b><u>408 Display Screens</u></b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
408.2 Visibility	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
408.3 Flashing	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
<b><u>409 Status Indicators</u></b>	Heading cell – no response required	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
409.1 General	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
<b><u>410 Color Coding</u></b>	Heading cell – no response required	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
410.1 General	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
<b><u>411 Audible Signals</u></b>	Heading cell – no response required	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
411.1 General	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
<b><u>412 ICT with Two-Way Voice Communication</u></b>	Heading cell – no response required	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
<b>412.2 Volume Gain</b>	Heading cell – no response required	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
412.2.1 Volume Gain for Wireline Telephones	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
412.2.2 Volume Gain for Non-Wireline ICT	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
<b>412.3 Interference Reduction and Magnetic Coupling</b>	Heading cell – no response required	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
412.3.1 Wireless Handsets	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
412.3.2 Wireline Handsets	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
412.4 Digital Encoding of Speech	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
412.5 Real-Time Text Functionality	Reserved for future	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
412.6 Caller ID	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
412.7 Video Communication	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
<b>412.8 Legacy TTY Support</b>	Heading cell – no response required	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
412.8.1 TTY Connectability	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
412.8.2 Voice and Hearing Carry Over	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
412.8.3 Signal Compatibility	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
412.8.4 Voice Mail and Other Messaging Systems	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
<b><u>413 Closed Caption Processing Technologies</u></b>	Heading cell – no response required	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
413.1.1 Decoding and Display of Closed Captions	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
413.1.2 Pass-Through of Closed Caption Data	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
<b><u>414 Audio Description Processing Technologies</u></b>	Heading cell – no response required	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
414.1.1 Digital Television Tuners	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
414.1.2 Other ICT	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
<b><u>415 User Controls for Captions and Audio Descriptions</u></b>	Heading cell – no response required	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
415.1.1 Caption Controls	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
415.1.2 Audio Description Controls	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.

## Chapter 5: [Software](#)

Notes:

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
501.1 Scope – Incorporation of WCAG 2.0 AA	See <a href="#">WCAG 2.2</a> section	See information in <a href="#">WCAG 2.2</a> section
<a href="#">502 Interoperability with Assistive Technology</a>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
502.2.1 User Control of Accessibility Features	Supports	ASLdeafined does not block any screen readers, keyboard navigation, zoom/magnification, high contrast tools with disruptions.
502.2.2 No Disruption of Accessibility Features	Supports	ASLdeafined does not block any screen readers, keyboard navigation, zoom/magnification, high contrast tools with disruptions.  Exception: Users who use Talkback (Android) on ASLdeafined phone application version might run into issues of the tool not responding to selected content such as rows, values, or tables.
<a href="#">502.3 Accessibility Services</a>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
502.3.1 Object Information	Support	ASLdeafined's web elements have proper roles, states, names (buttons, links, form fields). ARIA labels and semantic HTML make objects identifiable to screen readers.



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		Exception: Users who use Talkback (Android) on ASLdeafined phone application version might run into issues of the tool not responding to selected content such as rows, values, or tables.
502.3.2 Modification of Object Information	Supports	ASLdeafined allows users to make modification using assistive technology.
502.3.3 Row, Column, and Headers	Supports	<p>ASLDeafined allows object is in a data table, the occupied rows and columns, and any headers associated with those rows or columns, to be programmatically determinable.</p> <p>Exception: Users who use Talkback (Android) on ASLdeafined phone application version might run into issues of the tool not responding to selected content such as rows, values, or tables. Screen readers and other assistive technologies can read information and data in tables that are on the site.</p>
502.3.4 Values	Supports	<p>ASLDeafined allows object is in a data table, the occupied rows and columns, and any headers associated with those rows or columns, to be programmatically determinable.</p> <p>Screen readers and other assistive technologies can read information and data on the table that are on the site.</p>
502.3.5 Modification of Values	Supports	ASLDeafined allows object is in a data table, the occupied rows and columns, and any headers associated with those

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
		<p>rows or columns, to be programmatically determinable.</p> <p>Screen readers and other assistive technologies can read information and data in tables that are on the site.</p> <p>Exception: Users who use Talkback (Android) on ASLdeafined phone application version might run into issues of the tool not responding to selected content such as rows, values, or tables.</p>
502.3.6 Label Relationships	Supports	<p>All form elements including login fields, search boxes, and user input areas use appropriate HTML labeling techniques (label elements, aria-label, or aria-labeled) to ensure screen readers can identify the purpose of each element.</p> <p>Exception: Users who use Talkback (Android) on ASLdeafined phone application version might run into issues of the tool not responding to selected content such as rows, values, or tables.</p>
502.3.7 Hierarchical Relationships	Supports	<p>ASLdeafined implements proper hierarchical relationships through semantic HTML structure.</p> <p>Course content is organized with logical heading sequences (H1-H6), navigation menus use proper nesting, and lesson structures maintain clear parent-child</p>

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
		relationships that are programmatically determinable by assistive technologies.
502.3.8 Text	Supports	<p>ASLdeafined uses semantic HTML elements to convey text relationships and formatting meaning.</p> <p>Emphasis is marked with appropriate tags and any styled text that conveys meaning beyond visual presentation</p> <p>This is programmatically identifiable through proper markup with assistive technologies that can communicate the intended text relationships to users.</p>
502.3.9 Modification of Text	Supports	<p>ASLdeafined supports user text modifications including browser zoom up to 200%, custom font settings, and adjusted spacing (line height, letter spacing, word spacing).</p> <p>The site maintains functionality and readability when users apply text customizations through browser settings or assistive technology preferences.</p>
502.3.10 List of Actions	Supports	<p>ASLdeafined provides clear action information for interactive elements through proper labeling and ARIA attributes.</p> <p>Users can programmatically determine available actions for buttons, links, form controls, and video player components.</p>

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
		<p>Most interactive elements communicate their purpose and available operations to assistive technologies.</p> <p>Exception: Users who use Talkback (Android) on ASLdeafined phone application version might run into issues of the tool not responding to selected content such as rows, values, or tables.</p>
502.3.11 Actions on Objects	Supports	<p>ASLdeafined enables users to perform all available actions through assistive technologies.</p> <p>Most interactive elements including buttons, form controls, video players, and navigation components are fully operable via keyboard navigation, screen readers, and other assistive devices.</p> <p>Exception: Users who use Talkback (Android) on ASLdeafined phone application version might run into issues of the tool not responding to selected content such as rows, values, or tables.</p>
502.3.12 Focus Cursor	Supports	<p>ASLdeafined provides visible focus indicators for all interactive elements.</p> <p>When users navigate via keyboard or assistive technology, focused elements display clear visual indicators (outlines, borders, or highlighting) that meet contrast requirements.</p>

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
		Exception: Users who use Talkback (Android) on ASLdeafined phone application version might run into issues of the tool not responding to selected content such as rows, values, or tables.
502.3.13 Modification of Focus Cursor	Does not Support	Screen readers cannot properly control focus within video players.
502.3.14 Event Notification	Partially Supports	<p>ASLdeafined has standard HTML buttons typically announce state changes. Standard web forms usually notify screen readers of changes</p> <p>When ASL videos start/pause/end, screen readers may not be notified. New video recommendations or search results may load without announcements. Video buffering, loading progress may not be announced.</p>
502.4 Platform Accessibility Features	Not Applicable	<p>Section 502.4 applies to "platforms and platform software" - the underlying systems that other applications run on</p> <p>ASLdeafined is a web application that runs ON platforms (browsers, operating systems), not a platform itself.</p>
<b><u>503 Applications</u></b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
503.2 User Preferences	Partially Supports	<p>ASLdeafined respects user's browser zoom settings and focus indicator preferences.</p> <p>ASLDeafined override system color/contrast preferences. ASLdeafined</p>

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
		platform styling conflicts with user's accessibility color schemes.  Exception: Users who use Talkback (Android) on ASLdeafined phone application version might run into issues of the tool not responding to selected content such as rows, values, or tables.
503.3 Alternative User Interfaces	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined delivers ASL educational content using standard web applications.  ASLdeafined works with existing assistive technology, and does not provide AT services
<b>503.4 User Controls for Captions and Audio Description</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
503.4.1 Caption Controls	Partially Supports	Vocabulary and lesson content within ASLdeafined are signed with limited caption available as an alternative.  Users can click on vocabulary to see how to sign the word or phrase but there is no caption included in the video.  Users cannot toggle captions on video players, but some lessons such as deaf culture and stories provide alternative captions for beginners.
503.4.2 Audio Description Controls	Not Applicable	Sign language videos are meant to be seen, not described. ASLdeafined primarily uses visual communication.  Audio is not provided for ASLdeafined content.

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
<a href="#">504 Authoring Tools</a>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
504.2 Content Creation or Editing (if not authoring tool, enter “not applicable”)	See <a href="#">WCAG</a> 2.2 section	See information in <a href="#">WCAG</a> 2.2 section
504.2.1 Preservation of Information Provided for Accessibility in Format Conversion	Not Applicable	<p>Users view/interact with content, users do not author/convert it.</p> <p>Users are not creating documents or converting file formats.</p> <p>Users can export scores (data) into excel spreadsheets. The web app does not allow content conversion</p>
504.2.2 PDF Export	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined does not provide PDF creation/export functionality.
504.3 Prompts	Not Applicable	<p>Users consume, watch and complete ASL educational content.</p> <p>Users do not create content that needs accessibility prompts</p>
504.4 Templates	Partially Supports	<p>ASLdeafined uses pre-created educational materials and videos and does not provide templates for content creation.</p> <p>The only form of template or guide users might interact with would be creating lesson plans or lessons which is provided as a form rather than template.</p>

## Chapter 6: [Support Documentation and Services](#)

Notes:

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
<b>601.1 Scope</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
<b><u>602 Support Documentation</u></b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
602.2 Accessibility and Compatibility Features	Partially Supports	<p>Though ASLDeafined does not provide documentation on how to use accessibility and compatibility features.</p> <p>ASLdeafined offers user a “Support” nav bar that links them directly with the support team for any questions they might have on accessibility and compatibility features.</p>
602.3 Electronic Support Documentation	See <a href="#">WCAG</a> 2.2 section	See information in <a href="#">WCAG</a> 2.2 section
602.4 Alternate Formats for Non-Electronic Support Documentation	Not Applicable	<p>ASLdeafined documentations are provided electronically.</p> <p>The support/helpdesk with FAQs, user guides, tutorials are available digitally.</p>
<b><u>603 Support Services</u></b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
603.2 Information on Accessibility and Compatibility Features	Partially Supports	<p>ASLdeafined offers user a “Support” nav bar that links them directly with the support team for any questions they might have on accessibility and compatibility features.</p> <p>The support team understands the web application accessibility and compatibility features.</p>
603.3 Accommodation of Communication Needs	Supports	ASLdeafined offers user a “Support” nav bar that links them directly with the support team for any questions they might have on accessibility and compatibility features.





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## Clause [4: Functional Performance Statements \(FPS\)](#)

Notes:

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
4.2.1 Usage without vision	Does not Support	The primary content of ASLdeafined is visual. The platform teaches sign language through visual demonstrations.
4.2.2 Usage with limited vision	Partially Supports	<p>The primary content of ASLdeafined is visual.</p> <p>ASL videos are inherently visual and benefit users with limited vision. Sign language relies on visual communication which users with limited vision can often still access.</p>
4.2.3 Usage without perception of colour	Supports	<p>ASLdeafined communication does not rely on color differentiation for meaning.</p> <p>ASLdeafined primarily about hand shapes, movement, and facial expressions.</p> <p>Elements such as buttons, links, and navigation can be designed without color-only indicators.</p>
4.2.4 Usage without hearing	Supports	<p>The primary content of ASLdeafined is visual, not auditory.</p> <p>Users do not rely on hearing to use the platform.</p>

4.2.5 Usage with limited hearing	Supports	The primary content of ASLdeafined is visual, not auditory. Users do not rely on hearing to use the platform.
4.2.6 Usage with no or limited vocal capability	Supports	The primary content of ASLdeafined is visual.  ASLdeafined typically uses visual/touch interfaces rather than speech inputs.  Inputs are through traditional methods such as keyboard, mouse, and touch rather than voice commands.
4.2.7 Usage with limited manipulation or strength	Supports	Videos and lessons are designed with large, easy-to-click buttons (play/pause, volume, full-screen, slow video playback).  Account features such as login, profile, search, navbar option can be used without requiring fine motor control.
4.2.8 Usage with limited reach	Supports	Users can comfortably use ASLDeafined without needing excessive physical exertion. Users can position devices at comfortable distance.  Clicking, tapping, and typing requires minimal strength. All interactions are lightweight input devices (mouse, keyboard, touchscreen).
4.2.9 Minimize photosensitive seizure triggers	Supports	The site does not contain flashing content that would trigger photosensitivity.
4.2.10 Usage with limited cognition, language, or learning	Supports	ASLDeafined uses simple language and navigational options for users.

		<p>There is limited complex terminology or jargon found on the site. Any complex concepts would be found in the dictionary or the lessons found in ASLdeafined.</p> <p>These lessons are categorized by difficulty informing users.</p> <p>The layout of the website is simple and clear for users to follow without challenges.</p>
4.2.11 Privacy	Supports	<p>ASLdeafined values the privacy of our users and implements privacy tools across the site.</p> <p>Users are required to create accounts that are unique to them and update those accounts at their discretion.</p> <p>Though ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform, users can use personal headsets for private listening sessions.</p> <p>Within their accounts users are also able to view personal information such as test scores, progress, and classes data that are only accessible to them. An exception would be teachers who can view the test results of their students but cannot change the students' account setting.</p>

## Clause [5: Generic Requirements](#)

Notes:

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
<b>5.1 Closed functionality</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
<b>5.1.2 General</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
<b>5.1.2.1 Closed functionality</b>	See 5.2 through 13	See information in 5.2 through 13
<b>5.1.2.2 Assistive technology</b>	See 5.1.3 through 5.1.6	See information in 5.1.3 through 5.1.6
<b>5.1.3 Non-visual access</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
5.1.3.1 Audio output of visual information	Does Not Support	ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning with prerecorded videos. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.
5.1.3.2 Auditory output delivery including speech	Does Not Support	ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning with prerecorded videos. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.
5.1.3.3 Auditory output correlation	Does Not Support	ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning with prerecorded videos. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.
5.1.3.4 Speech output user control	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.
5.1.3.5 Speech output automatic interruption	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.
5.1.3.6 Speech output for non-text content	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
		of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.
5.1.3.7 Speech output for video information	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.
5.1.3.8 Masked entry	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.
5.1.3.9 Private access to personal data	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.
5.1.3.10 Non-interfering audio output	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
5.1.3.11 Private listening volume	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.
5.1.3.12 Speaker volume	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.
5.1.3.13 Volume reset	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.
5.1.3.14 Spoken languages	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.
5.1.3.15 Non-visual error identification	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
		lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.
5.1.3.16 Receipts, tickets, and transactional outputs	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, purchases, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.
5.1.4 Functionality closed to text enlargement	Supports	<p>Site content and user interfaces support standard zoom capabilities built into modern web browsers and operating systems.</p> <p>Buttons, navigation menus, and icons on ASLdeafined generally appear displayed at a size that equals a capital “H.”</p> <p>ASLdeafined’s text content, including lesson scripts and navigation menus, appears to maintain readability and layout integrity when spacing is increased.</p> <p>ASLdeafined generally allows text resizing and supports zooming without loss of content or functionality. However, users might not be able to change foreground and background colors.</p>



Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
5.1.5 Visual output for auditory information	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, purchases, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.
<b>5.1.6 Operation without keyboard interface</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
<b>5.1.6.1 Closed functionality</b>	See 5.1.3.1 through 5.1.3.16	See information in 5.1.3.1 through 5.1.3.16
5.1.6.2 Input focus	Supports	The site supports keyboard, mouse, and touch input simultaneously without conflicts.  Users can switch between input methods seamlessly during navigation and interaction.
5.1.7 Access without speech	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, purchases, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.
5.2 Activation of accessibility features	Partially Supports	Though ASLDeafined does not provide documentation on how to use accessibility and compatibility features.

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
		ASLdeafined offers user a "Support" nav bar that links them directly with the support team for any questions they might have on accessibility and compatibility features.
5.3 Biometrics	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined does not utilize biometrics within the site.
5.4 Preservation of accessibility information during conversion	Supports	During grade exports or displays of scores on progress chart, ASLdeafined preserves all documented information for accessibility.
<b>5.5 Operable parts</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
5.5.1 Means of operation	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
5.5.2 Operable parts discernibility	Not Applicable	This addresses physical hardware features not relevant to web platforms.
<b>5.6 Locking or toggle controls</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
5.6.1 Tactile or auditory status	Not Applicable	Audio volume handled by user's device/browser, not the web service
5.6.2 Visual status	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined does not have a locking or toggling control that the status is non-visually presented to users.  The web application heavily relies on visuals controls.
5.7 Key repeat	Not Applicable	It runs in a browser and mostly uses mouse clicks or taps, not physical keypresses.
5.8 Double-strike key acceptance	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined runs in a web browser: It does not have its own hardware keyboard or custom keyboard driver.

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
		Any keyboard behavior (like repeat speed, double-strike delay) is managed by the operating system or browser, not by the website.
5.9 Simultaneous user actions	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined does not require simultaneous user actions to work

## Clause [6: ICT with Two-Way Voice Communication](#)

Notes:

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
6.1 Audio bandwidth for speech	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.
<b>6.2 Real-time text (RTT) functionality</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
6.2.1.1 RTT communication	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined does not offer two-way voice communication in any capacity.  ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or

		<p>lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.</p>
6.2.1.2 Concurrent voice and text	Not Applicable	<p>ASLdeafined does not offer two-way voice communication in any capacity.</p> <p>ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.</p>
6.2.2.1 Visually distinguishable display	Not Applicable	<p>ASLdeafined does not offer two-way voice communication in any capacity.</p> <p>ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.</p>
6.2.2.2 Programmatically determinable send and receive direction	Not Applicable	<p>ASLdeafined does not offer two-way voice communication in any capacity.</p> <p>ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means</p>

		of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.
6.2.2.3 Speaker identification	Not Applicable	<p>ASLdeafined does not offer two-way voice communication in any capacity.</p> <p>ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.</p>
6.2.2.4 Visual indicator of Audio with RTT	Not Applicable	<p>ASLdeafined does not offer two-way voice communication in any capacity.</p> <p>ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.</p>

6.2.3 Interoperability	Not Applicable	<p>ASLdeafined does not offer two-way voice communication in any capacity.</p> <p>ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.</p>
6.2.4 RTT responsiveness	Not Applicable	<p>ASLdeafined does not offer two-way voice communication in any capacity.</p> <p>ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.</p>
6.3 Caller ID	Not Applicable	<p>ASLdeafined does not offer two-way voice communication in any capacity.</p> <p>ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or</p>

		lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.
6.4 Alternatives to voice-based services	Not Applicable	<p>ASLdeafined does not offer two-way voice communication in any capacity.</p> <p>ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.</p>
<b>6.5 Video communication</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
<b>6.5.1 General (informative)</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
6.5.2 Resolution	Not Applicable	<p>ASLdeafined does not offer two-way voice communication in any capacity.</p> <p>ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.</p>
6.5.3 Frame rate	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined does not offer two-way voice communication in any capacity.

		<p>ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.</p>
6.5.4 Synchronization between audio and video	Not Applicable	<p>ASLdeafined does not offer two-way voice communication in any capacity.</p> <p>ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.</p>
6.5.5 Visual indicator of audio with video	Not Applicable	<p>ASLdeafined does not offer two-way voice communication in any capacity.</p> <p>ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.</p>



6.5.6 Speaker identification with video (sign language) communication	Not Applicable	<p>ASLdeafined does not offer two-way voice communication in any capacity.</p> <p>ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.</p>
<b>6.6 Alternatives to video-based services (advisory only)</b>	Advisory – no response required	Advisory – no response required

## Clause [7: ICT with Video Capabilities](#)

Notes:

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
<b>7.1 Caption processing technology</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
7.1.1 Captioning playback	Does not Support	Most videos on ASLdeafined do not have captions available. The few videos that offer captions, users cannot toggle or change how the captions are displayed.
7.1.2 Captioning synchronization	Does not Support	Most videos on ASLdeafined do not have captions available. With the few videos that offer captions, users cannot toggle or change how the captions are displayed.
7.1.3 Preservation of captioning	Does Not Support	Most videos on ASLdeafined do not have captions available. Videos on ASLdeafined cannot be converted or downloaded by users. The few videos

		that offer captions, users cannot toggle or change how the captions are displayed.
7.1.4 Captions characteristics	Does Not Support	Most videos on ASLdeafined do not have captions available. With the few videos that offer captions, users cannot toggle or change how the captions are displayed.
7.1.5 Spoken subtitles	Does Not Support	Most videos on ASLdeafined do not have captions available. With the few videos that offer captions, users cannot toggle or change how the captions are displayed, neither can the captions be spoken or determined to assistive technology.
7.2.1 Audio description playback	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.
7.2.2 Audio description synchronization	Does Not Support	<p>Most videos on ASLdeafined do not have captions available. With the few videos that offer captions, users cannot toggle or change how the captions are displayed, neither can the captions be spoken or determinable to assistive technology.</p> <p>Does Not Support ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual</p>

		learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.
7.2.3 Preservation of audio description	Does Not Support	Most videos on ASLdeafined do not have captions available. Videos on ASLdeafined cannot be converted or downloaded by users. With the few videos that offer captions, users cannot toggle or change how the captions are displayed, neither can the captions be spoken or determinable to assistive technology.
7.3 User controls for captions and audio description	Does Not Support	Most videos on ASLdeafined do not have captions available. Videos on ASLdeafined cannot be converted or downloaded by users. With the few videos that offer captions, users cannot toggle or change how the captions are displayed, neither can the captions be spoken or determined to assistive technology.

## Clause [8: Hardware](#)

Notes:

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
<b>8.1.1 Generic requirements</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
8.1.2 Standard connections	Not Applicable	ASLdefined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone hardware with connections.
8.1.3 Colour	Not Applicable	ASLdefined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone hardware.
<b>8.2 Hardware products with speech output</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
8.2.1.1 Speech volume range	Not applicable	ASLdefined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone hardware. Volume and speech levels are controlled by users personally owned device.
8.2.1.2 Incremental volume control	Not Applicable	ASLdefined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone hardware. Volume and speech levels are controlled by users personally owned device.
8.2.2.1 Fixed-line devices	Not Applicable	ASLdefined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone hardware. Volume and speech levels are controlled by users personally owned device.
8.2.2.2 Wireless communication devices	Not Applicable	ASLdefined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone hardware. Volume and speech levels are controlled by users personally owned device.
<b>8.3 Stationary ICT</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
8.3.2.1 Unobstructed high forward reach	Not Applicable	ASLdefined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone hardware.

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
8.3.2.2 Unobstructed low forward reach	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone hardware.
8.3.2.3.1 Clear space	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone hardware.
8.3.2.3.2 Obstructed (< 510 mm) forward reach	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone hardware.
8.3.2.3.3 Obstructed (< 635 mm) forward reach	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone hardware.
8.3.2.4 Knee and toe clearance width	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone hardware.
8.3.2.5 Toe clearance	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone hardware.
8.3.2.6 Knee clearance	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone hardware.
8.3.3.1 Unobstructed high side reach	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone hardware.
8.3.3.2 Unobstructed low side reach	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone hardware.
8.3.3.3.1 Obstructed ( $\leq$ 255 mm) side reach	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone hardware.
8.3.3.3.2 Obstructed ( $\leq$ 610 mm) side reach	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone hardware.

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
8.3.4.1 Change in level	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone hardware.
8.3.4.2 Clear floor or ground space	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone hardware.
8.3.4.3.2 Forward approach	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone hardware.
8.3.4.3.3 Parallel approach	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone hardware.
8.3.5 Visibility	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone hardware.
8.3.6 Installation instructions	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone hardware.
<b>8.4 Mechanically Operable parts</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
8.4.1 Numeric keys	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone hardware.
8.4.2.1 Means of operation of mechanical parts	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone hardware.
8.4.2.2 Force of operation of mechanical parts	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone hardware.
8.4.3 Keys, tickets, and fare cards	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone hardware.

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
8.5 Tactile indication of speech mode		ASLdeafined is a web service accessed through browsers, not standalone hardware.

## Clause [9: Web](#) (See [WCAG 2.2 section](#))

Notes:

## Clause [10: Non-Web Documents](#)

Notes:

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
<b>10.0 General (informative)</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
10.1.1.1 through 10.4.1.3	See <a href="#">WCAG 2.2 section</a>	See information in <a href="#">WCAG 2.2 section</a>
10.5 Caption positioning	Does Not Support	<p>Captioning is provided for some (very few) instructional video content to deliver context and explanation (stories and ASL culture). However, in most lessons and during interactive practice activities, captions are intentionally omitted to facilitate immersive ASL learning experiences where users must rely on visual signing comprehension.</p> <p>Users cannot toggle captioning however caption positions do not obstruct relevant information.</p>
10.6 Audio description timing	Does not Support	ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any

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		of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.

## Clause [11: Software](#)

Notes:

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<b>11.0 General (informative)</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
11.1.1.1 through 11.4.1.3	See <a href="#">WCAG 2.2</a> section	See information in <a href="#">WCAG 2.2</a> section
<b>11.5 Interoperability with assistive technology</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
<b>11.5.1 Closed functionality</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
<b>11.5.2 Accessibility services</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
11.5.2.1 Platform accessibility service support for software that provides a user interface	See 11.5.2.5 through 11.5.2.17	See information in 11.5.2.5 through 11.5.2.17
11.5.2.2 Platform accessibility service support for assistive technologies	See 11.5.2.5 through 11.5.2.17	See information in 11.5.2.5 through 11.5.2.17
11.5.2.3 Use of accessibility services	See information in 11.5.2.5 through 11.5.2.17	See information in 11.5.2.5 through 11.5.2.17
11.5.2.4 Assistive technology	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a web-based language learning service not an assistive technology.
11.5.2.5 Object information	Supports	interface elements' role, state(s), boundary, name, text, and description are programmatically determinable on ASLdeafined by assistive technologies.
11.5.2.6 Row, column, and headers	Supports	ASLDeafined allows object is in a data table, the occupied rows and columns, and any headers associated with those rows or columns, to be programmatically determinable.



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		Screen readers and other assistive technologies are able to reader information and data in table that are on the site.
11.5.2.7 Values	Supports	<p>ASLDeafined’s core interface (video lessons, navigation buttons, quizzes) appears to use standard HTML controls, which usually have correct names, roles, and values. Buttons like “Start Lesson,” “Next,” or “Submit” are visually labeled, and likely labeled in code.</p> <p>ASLDeafined allows object is in a data table, the occupied rows and columns, and any headers associated with those rows or columns, to be programmatically determinable.</p> <p>Screen readers and other assistive technologies can read information and data in table that are on the site.</p>
11.5.2.8 Label relationships	Supports	<p>All form elements including login fields. search boxes, and user input areas use appropriate HTML labeling techniques (label elements, aria-label, or aria-labeled) to ensure screen readers and assistive technology can identify the purpose of each element.</p> <p>Exception: Users who use Talkback (Android) on ASLDeafined phone</p>

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		application version might run into issues of the tool not responding to selected content such as rows, values, or tables.
11.5.2.9 Parent-child relationships	Supports	<p>ASLdeafined implements proper hierarchical relationships through semantic HTML structure.</p> <p>Course content is organized with logical heading sequences (H1-H6), navigation menus use proper nesting, and lesson structures maintain clear parent-child relationships that are programmatically determinable by assistive technologies.</p>
11.5.2.10 Text	Supports	interface elements' role, state(s), boundary, name, text, and description are programmatically determinable on ASLdeafined by assistive technologies.
11.5.2.11 List of available actions	Supports	<p>ASLdeafined provides clear action information for interactive elements through proper labeling and ARIA attributes.</p> <p>Users can programmatically determine available actions for buttons, links, form controls, and video player components.</p> <p>All interactive elements communicate their purpose and available operations to assistive technologies.</p> <p>Exception: Users who use Talkback (Android) on ASLdeafined phone application version might run into issues</p>

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
		of the tool not responding to selected content such as rows, values, or tables.
11.5.2.12 Execution of available actions	Supports	<p>ASLdeafined provides clear action information for interactive elements through proper labeling and ARIA attributes.</p> <p>Users can programmatically determine available actions for buttons, links, form controls, and video player components.</p> <p>All interactive elements communicate their purpose and available operations to assistive technologies.</p> <p>Exception: Users who use Talkback (Android) on ASLdeafined phone application version might run into issues of the tool not responding to selected content such as rows, values, or tables.</p>
11.5.2.13 Tracking of focus and selection attributes	Supports	<p>ASLdeafined provides visible focus indicators for all interactive elements.</p> <p>When users navigate via keyboard or assistive technology, focused elements display clear visual indicators (outlines, borders, or highlighting) that meet contrast requirements.</p>
11.5.2.14 Modification of focus and selection attributes	Supports	ASLdeafined shows a clear, visible outline or highlight around links, buttons, and other interactive elements when they receive keyboard focus.

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		The focus indicator is generally high contrast and easy to spot against the background.
11.5.2.15 Change notification	Partially Supports	User will be notified of changes in the interface for actions such as checkbox being checked or unchecked, selecting an answers/action but the user might not be notified of buttons being enabled or disabled or possibly pop ups.
11.5.2.16 Modifications of states and properties	Partially Supports	<p>ASLdeafined respects user's browser zoom settings and focus indicator preferences.</p> <p>Potentially it may override system color/contrast preferences. ASLdeafined platform styling might conflict with user's accessibility color schemes.</p> <p>Video players often use fixed styling that ignores user preferences.</p>
11.5.2.17 Modifications of values and text	Does Not Support	Users are not allowed to make changes to text on the website or change values.
<b>11.6 Documented accessibility usage</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
11.6.1 User control of accessibility features	Supports	ASLdeafined does not block any screen readers, keyboard navigation, zoom/magnification, high contrast tools with disruptions.
11.6.2 No disruption of accessibility features	Supports	ASLdeafined does not block any screen readers, keyboard navigation, zoom/magnification, high contrast tools with disruptions.

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11.7 User preferences	Partially Supports	<p>ASLdeafined respects user's browser zoom settings and focus indicator preferences.</p> <p>ASLDeafined override system color/contrast preferences. ASLdeafined platform styling conflicts with user's accessibility color schemes.</p> <p>Exception: Users who use Talkback (Android) on ASLdeafined phone application version might run into issues of the tool not responding to selected content such as rows, values, or tables.</p>
<b>11.8 Authoring tools</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
<b>11.8.1 Content technology</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
11.8.2 Accessible content creation	See <a href="#">WCAG 2.2</a> section (If not authoring tool, enter “Not Applicable”)	See information in <a href="#">WCAG 2.2</a> section
11.8.3 Preservation of accessibility information in transformations	Not Applicable	<p>Users view/interact with content, do not author/convert it.</p> <p>Users are not creating documents or converting file formats.</p> <p>Users can export scores (data) into excel spreadsheets. The web app does not allow content conversion.</p>
11.8.4 Repair assistance	Supports	When users receive errors or bugs on ASLdeafined, an error code is displayed on the screen. Users are able to reach out to the ASLdeafined Support team either directly through the site or by

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		reaching out via email with their request or error code.
11.8.5 Templates	Partially Supports	<p>ASLdeafined uses pre-created educational materials and videos and does not provide templates for content creation.</p> <p>The only form of template or guide users might interact with would be creating lesson plans or lessons which is provided as a form rather than template.</p>

## Clause [12: Documentation and Support Services](#)

Notes:

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
<b>12.1 Product documentation</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
12.1.1 Accessibility and compatibility features	Partially Supports	<p>Though ASLDeafined does not provide documentation on how to use accessibility and compatibility features.</p> <p>ASLdeafined offers user a “Support” nav bar that links them directly with the support team for any questions they might have on accessibility and compatibility features.</p>
12.1.2 Accessible documentation	See <a href="#">WCAG</a> 2.2 section	See information in <a href="#">WCAG</a> 2.2 section
<b>12.2 Support Services</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required

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12.2.2 Information on accessibility and compatibility features	Supports	ASLdeafined provides dedicated customer support and assistance, accessible through the footer at the bottom of every page, for any questions or requests users may have.
12.2.3 Effective communication	Supports	ASLdeafined provides dedicated customer support and assistance, accessible through the footer at the bottom of every page, for any questions or requests users may have.
12.2.4 Accessible documentation	See <a href="#">WCAG</a> 2.2 section	See information in See <a href="#">WCAG</a> 2.2 section

## Clause [13: ICT Providing Relay or Emergency Service Access](#)

Notes:

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
<b>13.1 Relay services requirements</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
13.1.2 Text relay services	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a visual ASL learning service that does not offer text relay services on our platform.
13.1.3 Sign relay services	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a visual ASL learning service that does not offer text relay services on our platform.
13.1.4 Lip-reading relay services	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined does not offer two-way voice communication in any capacity.  ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any

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		of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.
13.1.5 Captioned telephony services	Not Applicable	ASLdeafined is a visual ASL learning service that does not offer text relay services on our platform.
13.1.6 Speech to speech relay services	Not Applicable	<p>ASLdeafined does not offer two-way voice communication in any capacity.</p> <p>ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.</p>
13.2 Access to relay services	Not Applicable	<p>ASLdeafined does not offer two-way voice communication in any capacity.</p> <p>ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.</p>



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13.3 Access to emergency services	Not Applicable	<p>ASLdeafined does not offer two-way voice communication in any capacity.</p> <p>ASLdeafined is a visual learning platform that relies on visual learning as a means of learning for both deaf and hearing individuals. Speech is not required in any of the lessons, vocabulary, quizzes, or lesson plans on the site. Audio alternatives are not provided by the site.</p>

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